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1623

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Please find below and/or attached an Office communication concerning this application or proceeding.

Examiner-Initiated Interview Summary	Application No.	Applicant(s)	
	10/031,692	MACCHIA ET AL.	
	Examiner	Art Unit	
	Patrick T. Lewis	1623	

All Participants:

(1) Patrick T. Lewis.

(2) Albert Chen.

Status of Application: Allowed

(3) _____.

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Date of Interview: 2 September 2005

Time: 10:49 AM

Type of Interview:

- ☒ Telephonic
☐ Video Conference
☐ Personal (Copy given to: ☐ Applicant ☐ Applicant's representative)

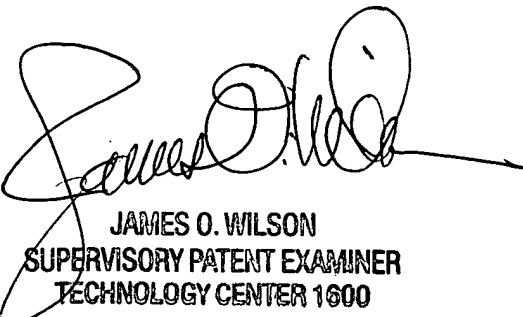
Exhibit Shown or Demonstrated: ☐ Yes ☒ No
 If Yes, provide a brief description:

Part I.

Rejection(s) discussed:
 None

Claims discussed:
 None

Prior art documents discussed:
 None


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Part II.

SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW DESCRIBING THE GENERAL NATURE OF WHAT WAS DISCUSSED:
 See Continuation Sheet

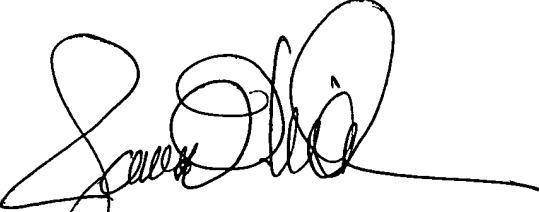
Part III.

- ☐ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview directly resulted in the allowance of the application. The examiner will provide a written summary of the substance of the interview in the Notice of Allowability.
☐ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview did not result in resolution of all issues. A brief summary by the examiner appears in Part II above.

 (Examiner/SPE Signature)

 (Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature – if appropriate)

Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was discussed: The examiner informed Mr. Chen via voice mail that there was a problem in publications regarding issuing the patent. It appears that no one knew exactly how to handle the Notice of Appeal filed May 20, 2004 (which is in effect moot since the application has been allowed). It appears that PUBS has been awaiting an outgoing communication from the examiner acknowledging the notice of appeal; although, MPEP 1205 states "The Office does not acknowledge receipt of a notice of appeal by separate letter." I've been instructed to mail out an interview summary in hopes of moving this process along.



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